

Attachment to Independent Case Review Report
For CDRU #6321 Case file #95-244137.

Material Examiner: Malone (RQ)

Remarks:

Case resulted in a trial, testimony transcript not provided.

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INDEPENDENT CASE REVIEW REPORT

Independent Review conducted by: Steve Robertson

Area(s) of Expertise: Hair and Fiber

Review commenced at: 12:30 PM (Time), 12/04/03 (Date)

File #: 95-244137

Laboratory #(s): 10630100
10811060
20714017

Examiner(s) & Symbols

	Reviewed	Not Reviewed		Reviewed	Not Reviewed
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Materials Reviewed

Trial testimony transcript(s) of: None

Testimony Date(s): _____ Pages: _____

Laboratory Report(s):

Laboratory Number:	<u>10630100</u>	Date:	<u>July 22, 1981</u>
Laboratory Number:	<u>10630100, 10811060</u>	Date:	<u>Sept. 16, 1981</u>
Laboratory Number:	<u>20714017</u>	Date:	<u>July 22, 1982</u>

Examiner Bench Notes of: RQ

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Was any other material reviewed? Yes No

If yes, please identify and/or describe the material: submitting agency letters dated 6/29/81, 8/11/81 and 7/14/82.

Results of Review

File #: 95-244137 Item or Specimen # Reviewed: Q1-Q7, Q15-Q20, K1-K4, Q21-Q26, K6-K8

Review of Laboratory Report(s) and Bench Notes:

Note: Numbered comments are required below or on additional pages for any "No" or "Unable to Determine" Responses

- 1) Did the examiner perform the appropriate tests in a scientifically acceptable manner, based on the methods, protocols, and analytic techniques available at the time of the original examination(s)?
 Yes No X Unable to Determine
- 2) Are the examination results set forth in the laboratory report(s) supported and adequately documented in the bench notes?
 Yes X No Unable to Determine

Review of Testimony:

Note: Numbered comments are required below or on additional pages for any "No" or "Unable to Determine" Responses

Transcript not available.

- 3) Testimony consistent with the laboratory report(s)? Yes No Unable to Determine
- 4) Testimony consistent with the bench notes? Yes No Unable to Determine
- 5) Testimony within bounds of examiner's expertise? Yes No Unable to Determine

Comments

(Set forth by above question #, if applicable.
Use "Additional Comments" Sheet, if needed)

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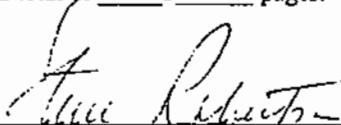
#1: With microscopic hair comparison, one cannot determine from the notes that the examination was conducted in a scientifically acceptable manner.

#2. The results are not adequately documented in the notes. The notes are not dated and are in pencil instead of ink. Abbreviations are used that are hard to interpret. There is documentation that hairs were recovered from suspect Green's clothing, but there is no documentation that hairs were recovered from the victim's items. Documentation is lacking that explains if the examiner looked only for Negroid hairs on Q1-Q4 or if there were other hairs on them. If other hairs were detected, then one must wonder if they are the victim's hairs.

Review completed at: 1:15 PM (Time), 12/04/03 (Date)

Total time spent conducting review (to nearest 1/4 hour): 0.75 hrs.

I hereby certify that I conducted this review in an independent, unbiased manner and that the results of my review are fully documented on this report consisting of a total of 3 pages.



(Signature)

Dec. 4, 2003

(Date)

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